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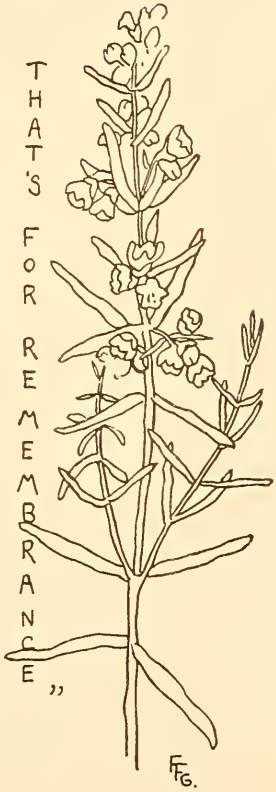
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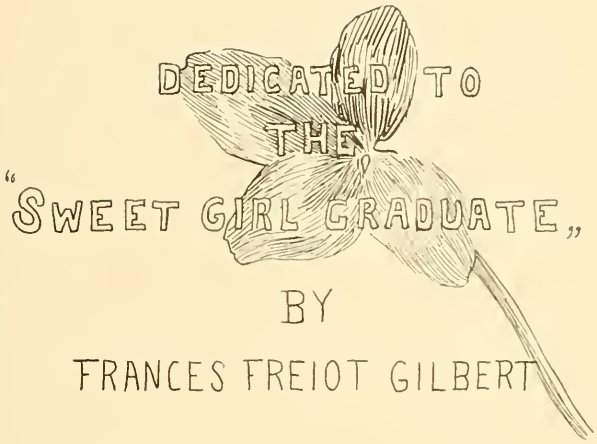
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PREFACE.

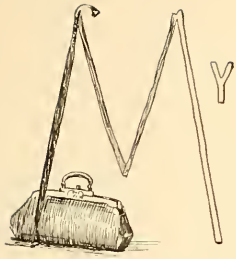
HOW many of the college and seminary girls of other days have regretted that they did not preserve a record of their interests and pleasures when students! Those days of bright hopes, freedom from serious responsibility, warm friendships, and enthusiastic enjoyments will always linger in the memory like a sweet savor, it is true, but how much more effectively if given tangible form!

The designer of this volume has realized that the conventional "Journal" is too dry and unattractive to be popular, despite its value, and that a record of school days should be characteristic and unique, to command attention, and as dainty and pleasing as possible, to make it worth keeping. It is believed that the result of her efforts will be welcomed now, and thankfully regarded in distant years. The title does restrict it to "college" girls, strictly speaking, but it will be valuable, as well as entertaining, for any who leave home as students.

Name

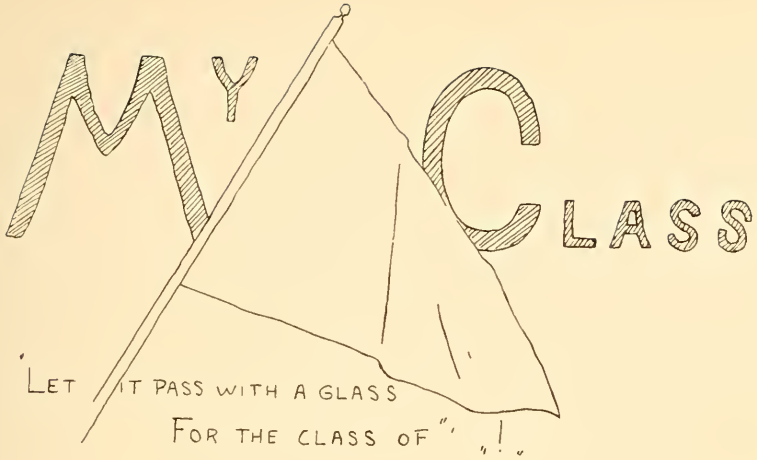
Institution

Class



My Arrival

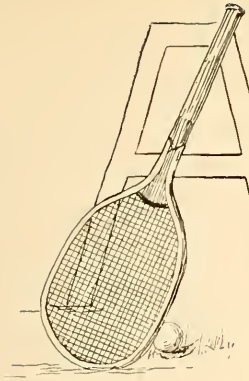
"When first I sought the academic town—


MY CLASS
'LET IT PASS WITH A GLASS
FOR THE CLASS OF "

"Uneasy Lie the
heads of Those
who rule,

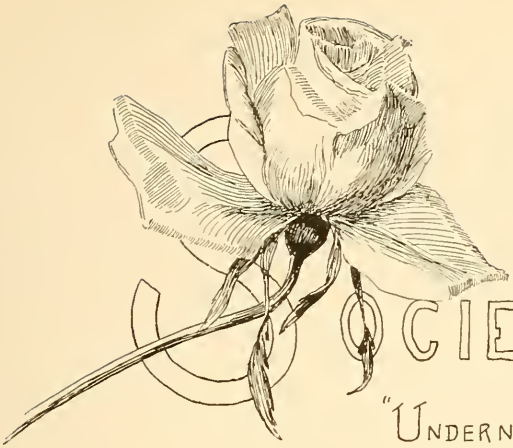


His most of all
whose kingdom
is a school".



ATHLETICS

"THEIRS BUXOM HEALTH OF ROSY HUE,
WILD WIT, INVENTION EVER NEW,
AND LIVELY CHEER OF VIGOUR BORN "



SOCIETIES

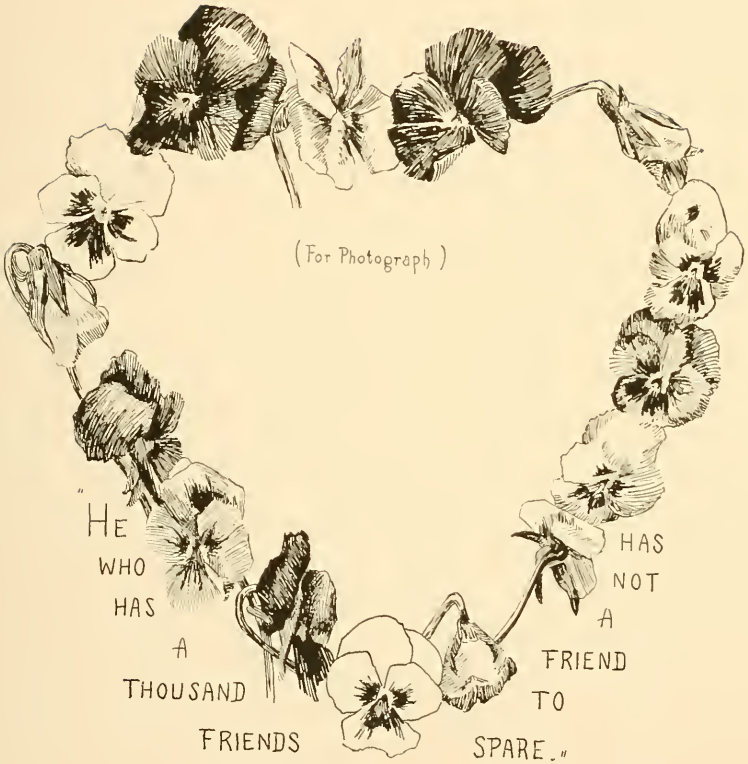
"UNDERNEATH THE ROSE"

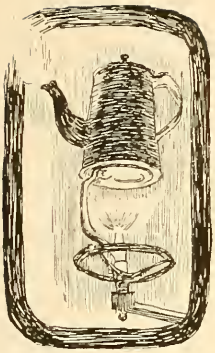
MY ROOM MATES



"FOUR HAPPY YEARS TOGETHER,
BY STORM AND SUNSHINE TRIED."

My Chums


(For Photograph)
"He who has a thousand friends
has not a friend to spare."



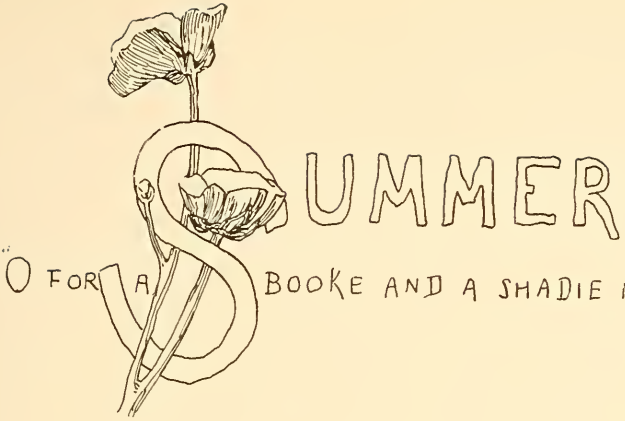
UR SPREADS

"NOW GOOD DIGESTION WAIT ON APPETITE
AND HEALTH ON BOTH!"

My Fads



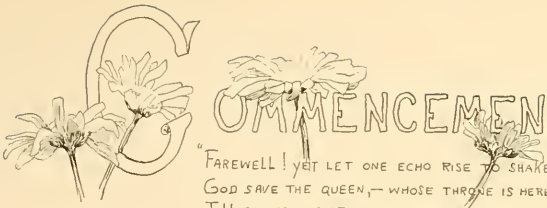
So come, my sweet collector friends,
And listen while I sing
Unto your delectation
This brief,
Pathetic thing—


SUMMER
"O FOR A BOOKE AND A SHADIE NOOKE"



EXAMINATIONS

"'Tis deeds must win the prize"



"FAREWELL! YET LET ONE ECHO RISE TO SHAKE OUR ANCIENT HALL;
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN,— WHOSE THRONE IS HERE,— THE MOTHER OF US ALL!
TILL DAWNS THE GREAT COMMENCEMENT DAY ON EVERY SHORE AND SEA,
AND "EXPECTANTUR" ALL MANKIND, TO TAKE THEIR LAST DEGREE!"

"Oh, happy days, when youth's wild ways
Knew every phase of harmless folly!
Oh, blissful nights whose fierce delights
Defied gaunt-featured melancholy.
Gone are they all beyond recall,
And I — a shade, a mere reflection, —
Am forced to feed my spirit's greed
Upon the husks of retrospection! „



RECREATIONS

No PROFIT GROWS WHERE IS NO PLEASURE TA'EN ..



VACATIONS

"If all the year were playing holidays
To sport would be as tedious as to work,
But when they seldom come,
They wished for come"

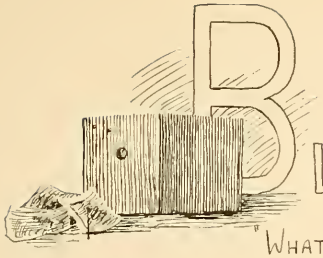


CHRISTMAS

THEN, HEIGH-HO, THE HOLLY!



"IN THE SWEET O' THE YEAR"



BLUE PRINTS

"WHAT LANDS AND SKIES
PAINT PICTURES IN THEIR FRIENDLY EYES"

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